storing conversion data for plural illuminating lights having different characteristics;

generating data indicating [the] a proportion of synthesis of said plural illuminating lights [having different characteristics], corresponding to said second illuminating light; [and]

generating a conversion condition from the stored plural conversion data according to the data indicating the proportion of synthesis; and

converting data dependent on said first illuminating light into data dependent on said second illuminating light, based on the conversion condition [data for plural illuminating lights having different characteristics, and said data indicating the proportion of synthesis].

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8. (Amended) An image processing apparatus for converting data dependent on a first illuminating light into data dependent on a second illuminating light, comprising:

storage means for storing conversion data for plural illuminating lights having different characteristics;

generation means for generating data indicating the proportion of synthesis of said plural illuminating lights [having different characteristics], corresponding to said second illuminating light; [and]

generating means for generating a conversion

condition from the stored plural conversion data according to

the data indicating the proportion of synthesis; and

conversion means for converting data dependent on said first illuminating light into data dependent on said second illuminating light, based on said conversion condition [data for plural illuminating lights having different characteristics, and said data indicating the proportion of synthesis].

9. (Amended) A computer readable recording medium storing a program, said program comprising the steps of:

storing conversion data for plural illuminating lights having different characteristics;

generating data indicating the proportion of synthesis of said plural illuminating lights [having different characteristics], corresponding to said second illuminating light; [and]

generating a conversion condition from the stored
plural conversion data according to the data indicating the
proportion of synthesis; and

converting data dependent on said first

illuminating light into data dependent on said second

illuminating light, based on said conversion condition [data

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characteristics, and said data indicating the proportion of synthesis].

10. (Amended) An image processing method <u>for</u>

<u>converting inputting data into data dependent on an ambient</u>

<u>light, comprising the steps of:</u>

setting an ambient lighting characteristic coefficient according to a manual instruction;

[inputting image data dependent on an input device; and

effecting correction for the ambient lighting on said input device, a display device and said ambient lighting characteristic coefficient, thereby achieving conversion into image data dependent on said display device]

generating a conversion condition for the ambient

light from conversion data corresponding to plural light

sources having different color rendering properties, based on
the ambient lighting characteristic coefficient; and

performing an ambient light correction for inputting data by using the generated conversion condition for the ambient light.

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16. (Amended) An image processing apparatus <u>for</u> converting inputting data into data dependent on an ambient <u>light</u>, comprising:

setting means for setting an ambient lighting characteristic coefficient according to a manual instruction; [input means for entering image data dependent on

an input device; and

conversion means for effecting correction for the ambient lighting on said entered image data based on said input device, a display device and said ambient lighting characteristic coefficient, thereby achieving conversion into image data dependent on said display device]

generating means for generating a conversion

condition for the ambient light from conversion data

corresponding to plural light sources having different color

rendering properties, based on the ambient lighting

characteristic coefficient; and

performing means for performing an ambient light correction for inputting data by using the generated conversion condition for the ambient light.

17. (Amended) A computer readable recording medium storing a program for executing an image processing method for converting inputting data into data dependent on an ambient light, said program comprising the steps of:

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